

2024

## St. Margarethen - Chardonnay Leithaberg DAC

Qualitätswein, Sankt Margarethen

## Vineyard

Shy bearing soils on calcarious sandstone from 3 vineyard locations around the village of Sankt Margarethen. Situated at approximately 180m altitude, these vineyards are known for their low water holding capacity dry farming - organic compost cover crop - gentle pruning

## Cellar

The handpicked grapes underwent a short maceration period on the skins prior to spontaneous fermentation. Followed by malolactic fermentation, the wine aged for 10 months on the lees in 500L casks made from Leithaberg oak.

## **Tasting Note**

Brilliant, straw yellow and bright in the glass, the wine has complex aromas of toasted almonds, kumquat and cantaloupe. On the palate it shows a round creamy texture with medium body and elegant acidity. This structured wine pairs well with poultry dishes, grilled fish and savory accoutrements.



Varietal Chardonnay

Flavor dry

Alcohol 13 %

Acid 5.5 g/l

Residual Sugar 2.2 g/l

Drinking Temperature 8 - 10 °C

Optimum Drinking Year 2025 - 2030

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